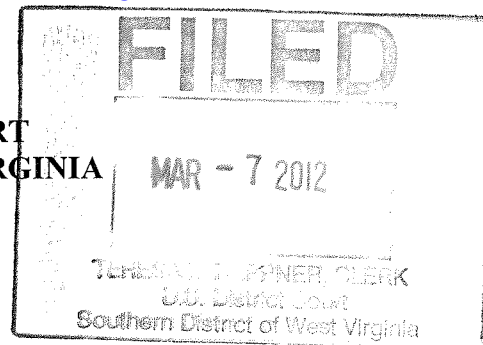


**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA**

**CHARLESTON DIVISION**



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

CRIMINAL ACTION NO. 2:12-cr-00024

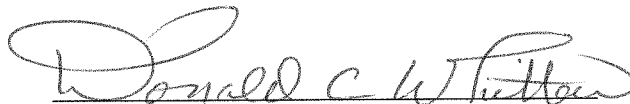
DONALD C. WHITTEN,

Defendant.

**WRITTEN PLEA OF GUILTY**

In the presence of Tim Carrico, my counsel, who has fully explained the charge contained in the Information against me, and having received a copy of the Information before being called upon to plead, I hereby plead guilty to the charge contained in the Information.

DATE: 3-7-12

  
DEFENDANT

WITNESS:

  
COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT